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## OIL OPERATIONS.

The Benwood Pool is the Most  
Promising Territory.

EVEN THE STANDARD PEOPLE

Are Forced to Admit this Fact—Fisher  
Company's Well on the Wood Farm  
Drilled in and Makes a Good Showing.  
Developments of the South Penn Com-  
pany—Brookline & Co. Have Located a  
Well at the Mouth of Indian Creek.  
North Penn Notes—A Sudden Rise in  
Prices.

There is not the least doubt now but  
that the territory in the vicinity of Ben-  
wood is the most promising in the south-  
west, even the Standard's papers are  
forced to admit this, as much as they  
hate to give any territory credit for being  
good. Ever since this field was  
opened up there has been a constant  
string of good wells drilled in and so far  
there has not been more than one dry  
hole and the indications are that it,  
with proper handling will make a good  
producer large enough to pay out and  
probably more than that.

The latest news from that section to-  
day is that the Fisher Oil Company have  
drilled in their No. 1, on the S. P. Wood  
farm, which is located considerably to  
the east of developments. When the  
well reached the top of the sand last  
evening it was showing up nicely for a  
good producer and later when it was  
drilled it commenced to flow. The call  
of the well as said to be fully as large  
as that of any of the other wells drilled  
in over there and it is believed that it  
will start off at the rate of twenty-five  
to thirty barrels an hour when it has  
been completed. The well was connect-  
ed yesterday and will be completed  
at once. After it had been drilled to the  
top of the sand yesterday it made sev-  
eral nice flows.

This territory has been forging to the  
front of late very rapidly and the indi-  
cations are that during the next couple  
of weeks a great deal more will be  
known about it as there are quite a  
number of wells nearing the sand, all of  
which will have a great deal to do with  
defining the pool. One of the most im-  
portant wells due this week is that of  
Laney & Company, on the Stabler farm.  
This well has been delayed on account  
of encountering quite a dose of water  
the later part of last week, which com-  
pelled the owners to put in a string of  
1 1/2 inch casing. It is expected that this  
well will reach the sand the latter part  
of this week. It is located about a mile  
to the east of any of the wells yet drilled  
over there, and is important for the rea-  
son that it will extend the pool that far  
if it should come in a good producer,  
which is altogether likely.

The Fisher Oil Company will have  
several wells due on their holdings in  
this territory this week, two of which  
are due at the present time and may be  
in at any hour. The two wells that are  
due are No. 1, on the Sayre farm, and a  
well on the W. P. Wood farm. While  
both of these wells are within the de-  
fined limit of the pool, yet the operators  
are looking forward to the completion  
very earnestly.

The South Penn Oil Company are mak-  
ing preparations to do a great deal of  
work in the back part of Monroe county  
very shortly. During the past few days  
there has been a great deal of material  
sent out from Sistersville. Yesterday  
three crews of rig builders went out.  
This company has many hundreds of  
acres in this part of the southwest fields  
and they are going to develop their hold-  
ings as rapidly as possible. It is con-  
fidently believed that they have been  
holding back with their work until after  
the election on account of the unsettled  
condition of money matters and now  
that all has been settled they will go  
ahead with their work very rapidly.

The South Penn Oil Company has  
made a location for a well on the B. Cor-  
bly farm, about a mile southeast of Cen-  
treville, in the back part of this county  
and as soon as possible it will be rigged  
up and drilling commenced.

The Carter Oil Company have drilled  
in their well on the A. T. Corbly farm, in  
the same neighborhood, and it is be-  
lieved that they will have a good pro-  
ducer when it has been completed. When  
drilled to the top of the sand the well  
showed up nicely and made one or two  
small flows. It will be quite an impor-  
tant well if a producer when finished, as  
it will open up considerable new terri-  
tory.

The latest well from the recent strike  
of the Carter Oil Company, on the Har-  
man-Livingston tract, out at Hebron,  
is that it is holding up very nicely and  
that is the best well drilled in out in  
that section up to date. There is a great  
deal of work going on in this field at  
present and it is dividing the interest of  
the oil men in the southwest with the  
Benwood pool.

Brookline & Company have a loca-  
tion for a well on the Wells farm, at the  
mouth of Indian creek, and as soon as  
the rig has been completed it will be put  
to drilling.

The North Penn Oil Company is still  
pushing the development of their field  
in Marshall county. Yesterday two new  
wells were rigged for operation on the  
Logerson tract.

The most interesting happening in  
oil circles yesterday was the advance in  
the price of credit balances. For some  
time past the market has been advancing  
very slowly, but yesterday it took one of  
the old-fashioned jumps and went up  
three cents. This is something very  
unusual at this time in the month and  
of course the operators and producers  
are not a little surprised. A prominent  
operator when asked his opinion of the  
matter yesterday afternoon said that he  
could not give any explanation of the  
matter unless that it was because the  
election was over. He said: "There is  
about the same amount of oil in stock  
as there was a year ago, and as is well  
known the producers have always con-  
tended that the price should be higher  
than it is and that the markets of the  
world warranted a higher price, yet we  
never got it, but now it looks as though  
the powers that be—the Standard—that  
may be the reason the price for credit  
balances has advanced."

Monos & Company have made the  
location for their No. 3 on the Hughes  
bois farm in the back part of Tyler  
county in what is known as the Sanecho  
territory, and will have the drill boun-  
cing in a couple of days. This company's  
No. 1 on this farm is reported to be  
making about twenty-five or thirty  
barrels a day.

L. A. Breuneman has made a loca-  
tion on the Marshall farm near the  
wells mentioned above and is now tak-  
ing the material out to build the rig.  
The work will be pushed rapidly as it  
is the intention to drill the well at  
once.

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ways cures them. Charles R. Goetz,  
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Son, Fenwood.

## IN POLITICS.

A Sennable for the County, State and City  
Officers—Probable Changes.

The political pot about the city build-  
ing is boiling these days, and petitions  
are being circulated by the hundreds,  
by Republicans anxious to serve the  
county and state in some official capac-  
ity. There are about a dozen applicants  
for every job, and the fight is going to  
be a hot one. The successful candidates  
for county officers at last Tuesday's elec-  
tion, who have offices to give out, are  
besieged by applicants, and are passing  
through an ordeal even worse than their  
fight to "get there."

Clerk Robertson has settled on his  
clerk for the county clerk's office, in the  
person of Charles Dannenberg, who is  
at present the efficient city clerk, and he  
is therefore not bothered as much as the  
sheriff, who is a much sought for citizen  
these days.

Circuit Clerk Henning is said to have  
decided to keep Col. John Walton in his  
office, and that lets him out of any more  
trouble.

Slates of great variety have been fixed  
up for Sheriff Richards, naming who is  
to be his jailor and who will be the de-  
puties, but nothing official has been  
given out, and won't be for some days  
to come.

Assistant City Clerk Watkins will be  
a candidate for city clerk, subject to the  
decision of the Republican primaries.  
Mr. Dannenberg will not vacate that  
office until his term expires, February 1.

Mr. John Hiere, of the gas office force,  
handed in his resignation yesterday,  
which was accepted and Councilman Ed  
Bender, of the Sixth ward, appointed to  
fill the vacancy. Mr. Bender resigned  
his seat in council at last night's ses-  
sion.

## IN CLERK HOOK'S OFFICE.

Deeds Recorded, Marriage Licenses Issued  
and Other Transactions.

In Clerk Hook's office yesterday, a  
deed was admitted to record by which  
the Wheeling Title and Trust Company  
transfers to Mrs. Margaret Neuhart, the  
south half of lot No. 12, in Archibald  
Woods and John McLeure's addition to  
the city, in consideration of \$1,642.

John Treiber was appointed adminis-  
trator of the estate of Henry A. Kiel, de-  
ceased, giving bond in the sum of \$500,  
with John Smith, Michael Treiber and  
E. R. Metzner as surety.

A marriage license was issued to F. A.  
Wood, aged 26, of Harrison county, W.  
Va., and Ida E. Metcalf, aged 25, of this  
city.

The bill of assignment of John A.  
White to Lewis S. Jordan, was filed.

## AMUSEMENTS.

"The Girl I Left Behind Me," the  
product of those veteran play writers,  
David Belasco and Franklin Fyles, and  
one of the most popular and successful  
plays in recent years, will hold the  
boards at the Opera House to-night. Its  
extraordinarily long run in New York  
city stamps it with an approval that  
should recommend it to all who admire  
good, honest dramatic work. The scenes  
are very thrilling, and the climaxes  
are the most striking ever produced on  
the stage. The company is composed of  
the most capable artists, and Wheel-  
ing theatre goers will miss it sadly if  
they neglect to improve the present op-  
portunity of witnessing this marvelous  
production to-night.

James B. Mackie, well and favorably  
remembered for his clever work as  
"Grimsey Me Boy," in Hoyt's "A Bunch  
of Keys," and "Grimsey Cellar Door," is  
playing "Shipp's," the once boy in "A  
Rail Road Ticket," which comes to the  
Grand Opera House next Thursday, Fri-  
day and Saturday. The cast is one of  
the strongest that ever played this suc-  
cessful farce comedy, and includes the  
famous American and European sensa-  
tional singer Marie Stuart, the popular  
comedian, Arthur Moulton, Clavin sis-  
ters, singers and popular dancers,  
Trocadero Comedy Four in song and  
medleys and an ensemble of pretty girls.

## Fair of the Seasons.

The Epworth League of the Fourth  
Street M. E. church is preparing a very  
unique carnival called the "Fair of the  
Seasons," to be given to-morrow even-  
ing in the Peabody building. The hall  
lately used for Democratic headquar-  
ters has been secured. The room will be  
tastefully decorated—the main feature  
being four booths, each representing a  
different season of the year. Each booth  
will be presided over by the young lad-  
ies, the decorations and refreshments  
offered being appropriate to the particu-  
lar season represented. The young  
people are sparing no pains to make the  
"Fair of the Seasons" the event of the  
year.

## Canvassing Returns.

The canvassing board of the board of  
commissioners yesterday completed the  
canvassing of the votes cast at the late  
election in Ohio county, and to-day they  
will begin the work of tabulating the re-  
turns. Nothing irregular has been dis-  
covered except in a few immaterial cler-  
ical errors. The matter of a recount in  
Webster district for commissioner,  
where Hesse, Republican, defeated  
Whyte, Democrat, by 4 votes, has been  
postponed until next Tuesday.

## Resolutions of Respect.

The city water board yesterday adop-  
ted the following resolutions on the  
death of Mr. A. C. F. Ebeling.  
Resolved, That by the death of A. C.  
F. Ebeling, the city has lost one of her  
oldest and most honored citizens, who  
in life was strong in manhood, upright  
and faithful as a public official, affec-  
tionate and dutiful as a husband, father  
and friend, and we desire to offer the  
tribute of our sincere respect for  
and our appreciation of the character  
of the lamented deceased.

Resolved, That this tribute to the  
fidelity, worth and memory of him who  
has now left us, be spread upon the  
official records of this board and be pub-  
lished in the papers of this city.  
(Signed.) JOHN H. HALL,  
JOHN E. SCHELLHAUSE,  
Secretary.

## An Important Difference.

To make it apparent to thousands, who  
think themselves ill, that they are not  
afflicted with any disease, but that the  
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coastive condition is easily cured by us-  
ing Syrup of Figs. Manufactured by  
the California Fig Syrup Company only,  
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United Presbyterian church on Friday  
evening from 5:30 to 8 o'clock. The  
dies having it in charge know how to  
get up, as well as serve a good meal.  
Supper 35 cents.

## DIED.

ENLOW—On Monday, November 9, 1896,  
at 1 o'clock a. m., SUSANNA ENLOW,  
widow of John Enlow, aged 82 years.  
Funeral from residence of D. M. Craw-  
ford, Blaine, Ohio, Thursday, Novem-  
ber 12, at 11 a. m. Interment at Green-  
wood. Friends of the family invited.  
O'HAGAN—On Monday, November 9, 1896,  
at 8 o'clock p. m., JOHN JOSEPH O'HAGAN,  
son of James and Annie O'Hagan, aged 25  
years.

Funeral from the residence of his parents,  
No. 79 Main street, Thursday morning  
at 7:30 o'clock. Mass at the Cathedral  
at 8 o'clock. Friends of the family re-  
spectfully invited to attend. Interment  
at Mt. Calvary cemetery.

## UNDERTAKING.

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